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LINDBERGH AGAIN VOICES OPPOSITION TO UNITED STATES AIDING ENGLAND

ITALIAN COLONISTS IN NORTHERN AFRICA REPORTED BE FLEEING

ITALIAN TROOPS ALSO REPORTED FALLING BACK UPON BENGASI STRONGHOLD

By The Associated Press
Panic-stricken Italian colonists were reported fleeing before the British in Premier Mussolini's dwindling North African empire today as aerial scouts told of seeing Fascist motorized columns withdrawing from Bengasi and Blackshirt troops falling back post-haste on the East Libyan stronghold.

Fresh Greek successes in Albania, announced in Athens, plunged Italy's war effort into further gloom.

Dispatches from the Libyan desert battlefield said that Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell's troops were pressing westward along the Mediterranean coast at a pace which could bring them to the gates of Bengasi within 48 hours.

Bengasi, 325 miles from the Egyptian border, had been heralded as the site to a probable major defense by Marshal Rodolfo Graziani's retreating armies. It was not immediately clear whether the withdrawal of motorized columns signalled abandonment of the town.

Latest reports put the British within 60 miles of Bengasi, sweeping forward at a 30-mile-a-day clip.

In the Greek-Italian war, an Athenian spokesman declared that the Greeks had smashed two fascist counter-attacks in the Adriatic coastal sector and that the Italians were falling back "in confusion, abandoning dead and wounded on the field of battle."

The Greeks said that Italian tanks had been destroyed and that the fascists had been driven from "positions of great strategic importance."

Bayonet-wielding Greek troops, it was said, drove the Italians from an unidentified village capturing 148 prisoners, a storehouse loaded with munitions, and quantities of machine-guns, mortars, rifles and materials. Torrential rains swept the fighting front.

France's political crisis moved nearer a showdown in the thinly-veiled struggle between the 84-year-old chief of state, Marshal Philippe Petain, and the conqueror, Adolf Hitler.

Outwardly, the Nazis profess to be keeping hands off. Behind the scenes, however, sharp German pressure was reported on the aged marshal to reinstate his ousted former vice premier, Pierre Laval, an ardent proponent of co-operation with Germany.

Today, Petain's 11-year-old Laval Minister Admiral Jean Darlan returned to Paris for new conversations with Laval amid indications that the French government was sternly opposed to restoring Laval to the cabinet on his own terms.

Dispatches from Vichy said Laval's first demands were rejected as exorbitant at a meeting yesterday of Petain and his ministers.

The British reported steady advances by their other armies on Africa's far-flung fronts—in Eritrea, in Ethiopia, and in Italian Somaliland. South African troops were said to have driven 80 miles inside Somaliland from British Kenya.

Italian settlers in Eastern Libya, British said, had joined the military withdrawal toward Bengasi.

German bombers struck at London and Southern England last night in a short but intensive raid. The British officially classified the attacks as light.

Dispatches to neutral Sweden asserted that all Norwegians more than 15 years old had been ordered to register by the Nazi-dominated government in an effort to strengthen its control.

Italian Garrison Dispersed.
WITH THE BRITISH FORCES NEAR CHEREN, Eritrea, Feb. 5.—(Delayed)—The Italian garrison of Eritrea, estimated at three and a half brigades, which on Sunday attempted to slip away from encircling British forces after the British capture of that town, appeared lost and dispersed today in the wild scrublands of Eritrea.

This fascist force which retreated southeastward in an effort to reach Adi Ugri and Asmara, Eritrean capital, by way of Tokul and Pozzi Di Tole, used an unfinished road which disappears in wild uplands.

British air force scouts and machine-gun parties reported these troops abandoned their titles of motor transport on the road, and appeared to have been scattered widely, and so broken up that Italian officers would find it impossible to reorganize them into military units for months.

Large numbers of white troops were reported surrendering freely in the area.

More Jap War Funds.
ROME, Feb. 6.—(P)—The Japanese House of Representatives approved today a budget of extraordinary war expenditures totaling 4,800,000 yen (\$1,24,600,000) for the period beginning April 1 and ending Jan. 31, 1942.

WOMAN EJECTED FROM CAPITOL



Pulled along by a police woman and a detective, a woman (center) who broke into the debate on the Lease-Lend bill in the House gallery, is taken to the women's bureau after being questioned in the office of the sergeant of arms. To questioners she gave her name as "Andra," her home as "New York" and said she was a "pamphleteer."

WINANT NOMINATED TO BE AMBASSADOR TO GREAT BRITAIN

NUMEROUS OTHER DIPLOMATIC NOMINATIONS SENT TO SENATE THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(P)—President Roosevelt today named John G. Winant, former republican governor New Hampshire, to be ambassador to London and ordered extensive changes among American diplomats already in service abroad and the orient.

Subject to Senate approval Winant, 61-year-old authority on international social and labor problems will replace Joseph P. Kennedy at the Court of St. James. Kennedy returned to this country several months ago and announced his resignation, to become effective when Mr. Roosevelt named a successor.

The nomination of Winant to this top diplomatic post in which he will serve as the nation's first rank war observer, was submitted to the Senate by the President one of 10 changes among United States representatives abroad.

These involved raising the status of the present legation in Uruguay to that of embassy, thus giving the United States another full-fledged ambassador in South America in addition to the "good neighbor" policy.

Back-Handed Reward.

Also involved was the transfer of Ambassador Nelson T. Johnson from China to Australia with the rank of minister. Although this means a step down in rank, it was said actually to have been determined upon as a reward to Johnson for his long, grueling service in war-ravaged China. It also was considered a gesture of friendliness toward Australia to name an Ambassador to serve there as minister.

In addition to the Winant nomination, Mr. Roosevelt asked the Senate to confirm these other diplomatic appointments:

Anthony J. Drexel Biddle of Pennsylvania, now ambassador to Poland, to serve also without additional compensation as ambassador to the exiled government in London; of Bulgaria and an minister to the governments of Norway and the Netherlands.

William Dawson of Minnesota, now ambassador to Panama, to become the first Ambassador to Uruguay, heretofore a ministerial post.

Edwin C. Wilson of Florida, now minister to Uruguay, to become ambassador to Panama.

Clarence E. Glass of Connecticut, now minister to Australia, to become ambassador to China.

Oklahoma Named.

Nelson T. Johnson of Oklahoma, now ambassador to China to become minister to Australia.

Bert Fish, of Florida, now minister to Egypt, to become minister to Portugal.

Herbert C. Fell of Rhode Island, now minister to Portugal, to become minister to Hungary, succeeding John Montgomery, resigning.

Down With Democracy.

Alexander Kirk of Illinois, now embassy counselor at Rome, to become minister to Egypt.

J. Pierpont Moffat of New Hampshire, now minister to Canada, to serve additionally without

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DISTRIBUTION OLD AGE PENSIONS WAS DOMINANT SUBJECT

BOTH HOUSE AND SENATE TAKE UP HIGHLY CONTROVERSIAL MATTER

AUSTIN, Feb. 6.—(P)—Distribution of old age pensions, a volcanic subject, drew attention today at both ends of the capitol.

Over the objection of a few members who shouted that the money ought to be added to pension grants, the house voted \$500 to its committee which will investigate complaints of unsuccessful applicants for old age assistance.

The senate transferred its pension inquiry from a committee of the whole senate to a special group which was asked to finish the job by Saturday. The committee of the whole already had spent most of two days studying pension administration methods.

Lonnie E. Alsup, blind representative from Carthage, introduced a semi-serious resolution attacking the West, East and South Texas Chambers of Commerce. The group which didn't like him sent it to the state affairs committee, and he avoided a direct vote, by raising the point of order the resolution period had expired.

The resolution evoked considerable laughter and shouting. Alsup told his colleagues that "to a certain extent, I am serious."

Urged to Consolidate.

The proposal called upon the three regional chambers to consolidate in order to save taxpaying citizens large sums which they now are paying out for triple duplicated service, and further proposed to increase efficiency in behalf of industry of this state, and not politics."

"We are not yet willing to surrender our constitutional rights of lawmaking," he said, "to a small, well-organized, well-paid group."

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is leading a campaign for a bill to bring about extensive changes in budgetary and financial procedures in the state government.

The house sent Governor W. Lee O'Daniel a bill authorizing the lease of a large coastal tract wanted by the federal government for a bombing range, and a measure by Rep. Ben Sharp of Paris legalizing home guards to serve while the national guard is on active duty. Both had been submitted by the governor as emergency matters.

Would Hold Public Hearing.

Under the bombing range bill persons opposed to the lease would be permitted to have their say at a public hearing. Legislators agreed, however, that the protest probably would have no effect.

Governor O'Daniel signed into law a bill authorizing the House Port Commission to lease land or facilities to the federal government for use as a shipyard.

The senate passed finally a bill authorizing a supplemental

See LEGISLATURE, Page 5.

COUNTY JOINS IN POLICE RADIO WITH CITY AUTHORITIES

REPORT MADE TO COMMISSIONERS COURT ON EM-HOUSE BRIDGE COLLAPSE

Authorization for Commissioner C. O. Slaughter to sign necessary contracts and papers in connection with the inauguration of a police radio station by the City of Corsicana and Navarro county was made at the special meeting of the commissioners court Wednesday afternoon.

The court in December entered such an agreement, but the matter was brought before the new court. Some of the apparatus will be located in the courthouse, but the main headquarters will be located in the city hall. The city police and the county will use the facilities jointly, but under the papers required by the Federal Communications Commission, only one sponsor is allowed and the city was designated as there are officers on duty day and night.

Thirty Boys Involved.

F. M. Adair, radio supervisor, NYA, Mexia, and Fred D. Pinion, city police and fire commission, appeared before the court. About 30 boys will be given employment in the enterprise, it was stated. The motion to ratify the former court's action was made by Taylor and was seconded by Gillen.

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Court Desegregation.

The residence of R. H. Gregory, justice of the peace, Precinct 4, Richland, was designated as the site for holding court upon motion of Slaughter, seconded by Taylor, and similar action was taken for Garland Anderson, justice of the peace, Precinct 7, when his residence was officially designated as the site for court.

B. F. Blackmon, representing Hugh Drane, appeared before the court and a settlement was effected on the Frost Ice Company properties. The properties had been rendered for several years due to a controversy, it was stated.

Commissioner Jim Taylor reported to the court that two spans of the Emhouse bridge spanning Chambers creek north of Emhouse had plunged into the creek after a large drift had snapped supporting pilings earlier in the week during a big overflow. He said he was investigating plans for repairing the structure, but at the present time was not in a position to make any recommendations or take any action pending further study of the problem.

Investigating Bridge.

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When the day of trial comes it will in great measure be a test of strength between the rival air fleets. There will be various phases of this great conflict, vastly important among them being the German submarine campaign which is designed to strangle Britain by cutting off essential supplies. All the powers are engaged in the operations—offensive and defensive—of the rival air fleets.

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The question of strength isn't

So far as concerns any effort to land an army in England, this must depend on control of the air—something which the Germans haven't yet been able to achieve.

The conflict in the sky therefore may be expected to swell to great intensity as flying conditions improve. A highly important point in the situation to date is Britain's growing initiative in aerial assault, as witness her deep thrusts into Germany Tuesday night and yesterday.

Small wonder then that there should be intense interest in the relative size and strength of the rival fleets subjects which present a mystery to the world at large.

Some sources recently have put the numerical strength of the Germans at from 30,000 to 40,000 machines. Well, those guesses are as good as any others. The point to remember, however, is that they are guesses.

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Seven thousand employees of the Allis-Chalmers plant in Milwaukee, Wis., and 6,500 of the International Harvester Company tractor plant at Chicago remained out on strike with no apparent progress made toward settlement of the dispute. Allis-Chalmers has some \$40,000,000 in defense contracts.

The accident involved a work car and a log truck.

Surviving are his wife and a son, Charles, William McMurray, 34, of Trinidad; parents, a brother and three sisters.

Palibarbers are G. C. Ragan, G. C. Ragan, Tom King, J. L. Scogin, Ray McNeil and Marvin Corley.

Corley Funeral Home directed arrangements.

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HIGH CUBAN OFFICIALS FLEE TO MIAMI



Deposed in a drastic political shakeup, Cuban officials flew to Miami, Fla. Shown on arrival there, they are, left to right: Police Major Juan Serra, Col. Jose Pedraza, army chieftain, Lt.-Col. Bernardo Garcia, ex-police chief, and Captain Owen Parr, Pedraza's military aide.

NOTED FLIER, FIRST LINE APPEASER FOR AMERICA, HEARD

THINKS BRITISH CAN'T WIN AND THAT AMERICAN DEFENSE SHOT TO PIECES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(P)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh testified today that the American air force now was weaker in relation to Germany's than it was a year ago because "we are sending our modern production abroad."

Opposing the administration's British aid bill, the trans-Atlantic flier told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that American plane production had been expanded substantially in the last year.

"But in our relative strength to Germany," he continued, "we are weaker in relation to them than we were a year ago."

Senator Pepper (D-Calif.) asked if Lindbergh did not believe that expanded aircraft production was a valuable asset.

"That depends upon when you consider invasion possible," the witness responded. "I think we should consider the possibility of invasion at any time."

If this nation ever is invaded, he said earlier, "the responsibility will lie upon those who send our arms abroad."

He testified that as things now stand, the United States program of aid to Britain and other countries "is encouraging war, prolonging it and increasing bloodshed without materially affecting the course of the war."

Senate Committee Witness.

Testifying in opposition to the administration's British aid bill before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Lindbergh said in a prepared statement that if this country is ever invaded "the responsibility will lie with those who send our arms abroad."

A little later, the administration won the first test of floor strength on its aid to Britain legislation in a 208 to 149 house vote against a Republican proposal to substitute for it a \$2,000,000 loan or gift program.

Under questioning by Senator Connally (D-Tex.), the 39-year-old Atlantic flier declared that the nation already was committed to giving Britain some aid. We should keep

**Navarro County Man
Made Commander For
United States Navy**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—President Roosevelt has given approval to a number of promotions in the supply corps of the navy, as recommended by a board of selection. The promotions include eight commanders to be captains and 20 lieutenant-commanders of the same corps to be commanders. Included is Lieut. Com. R. Montgomery, Ensign, promoted to commander.

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Courthouse News

District Court.

Jettie Bass charged by indictment with burglary in connection with the breaking and entering of the G. D. Rhodes Jewelry Store several months ago, entered a plea of guilty Monday afternoon and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by District Judge George R. Howell. The sentence is cumulative with sentences from Dallas and Harris counties, it was stated. A parole soon was revoked. Bass, it was stated, has five years remaining to be served in the first sentences.

The jury for the week was excused Monday.

The cases against Isaac Tomlin and Franklin Lee, charged with burglary, were continued by Judge Howell on the motion of the criminal district attorney's office due to the absence of material state's witnesses.

H. E. Taylor vs. William W. Bray and Bankers Life Insurance Company, suit to establish title.

Probate Court.

The will of George H. Kent, deceased, was filed for probate Wednesday morning.

County Court.

A white man was sent to a state hospital for a 90-day observation. Robert McWhorter entered pleas of guilty to charges of maintaining a public nuisance and to violating the prohibition laws and was fined \$1 and costs and \$100 and costs, respectively, in the cases Wednesday afternoon by E. D. McCormick, county judge.

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Sheriff Cap Curington conveyed a patient to the state hospital in Abilene Wednesday.

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A man charged with driving a car while intoxicated was bound over to the grand jury Tuesday by Judge Haydon Paschal.

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Marriage Licenses.

J. Vergil Freed and Dorothy Dean Scoggins.
Melvin S. Gamon and Dorothy Aline Petty.
Jess Atchley and Mildred Huges.
Dewey D. Matthews and Theima Montgomery.

Trustee's Deed.

Berryman Henwood, trustee for the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas, to R. R. Neece, et al., 4291 acres of the Noah Kezzia survey, \$50.

Assignments.

Roy Ward to James A. Patton, 200 acres; James H. Pindexter and Joseph McLaughlin surveys, \$1 and other considerations. Roy Ward to James A. Patton,

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Elmina K. Howell et ux to Alice B. Payne, a lot in the Goodlow Park, 1 mile south of Keren, \$40.

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Mr. Fletcher performed the ceremony. They were accompanied by Mrs. Laurence McPherson.

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CHANCE

Things happen in the strangest way,
And dull were life were this
not so.
Remove the chance from every day,
Let consequences plainly show,
And most of us would sit at home
Afraid a single mile to roam.

A grain of dust, a wisp of straw,
A vain attempt to stop a sneeze,
And Time has taken from the raw
The stuff which fashions destinies.

Two people meet and none can say
What follows centuries away.

The future's made of what's to be.
The past what might have been
contains.

Yet back and forth man never sees.
To reckon rightly losses, gains.
But all adventurer and romance are
needed by the winds of chance.

SOUTHERN FLAX.

Flax-growing in the South is to be revived. Americans had forgotten that the invention of the cotton gin, which made cotton King in the South, at the same time stopped flax-growing. It was no longer profitable to raise flax and make linens there.

Now a device is nearing perfection, which will in turn speed up the preparation of flax fibers for spinning. It is hoped that a new agricultural crop will thus become important, extending crop diversification in the South and meeting a number of other important needs.

Linens from Belgium and Ireland have been harder to get and costlier since the war, just as our own cotton markets abroad have shrunk. The Army and Navy need great quantities of linen for parachute webbing and other uses.

The South needs another cash crop. With these and other problems urging them on, experimenters at Georgia Tech, backed by TVA, have pushed to completion research begun five years ago, and have about ready

a machine which does almost instantaneously a job that used to require long slow soaking and decomposition—separating the wood from the fibers in the flax straw.

Flax is easily grown, requires no cultivation, is not subject to the insects or plant diseases currently found in the South, and could be raised on most of the acres now idle there.

The story of the new machine, of the co-operation in its development, of the varied benefits its use will help to achieve, is fascinating proof that not everything has been invented yet.

THEY GET THE IDEA

A cable from Rome on the 20th said: "Political circles here regard President Roosevelt's inaugural address in Washington as a restatement of what Italians consider to be his hostility toward totalitarian regimes."

A similar observation came from Berlin.

Totalitarian institution is wonderful. The dictators are really beginning to suspect that we don't like 'em.

As motor manufacturers go into munition work so that there'll always be an England, some Americans wonder whether there'll always be an automobile.

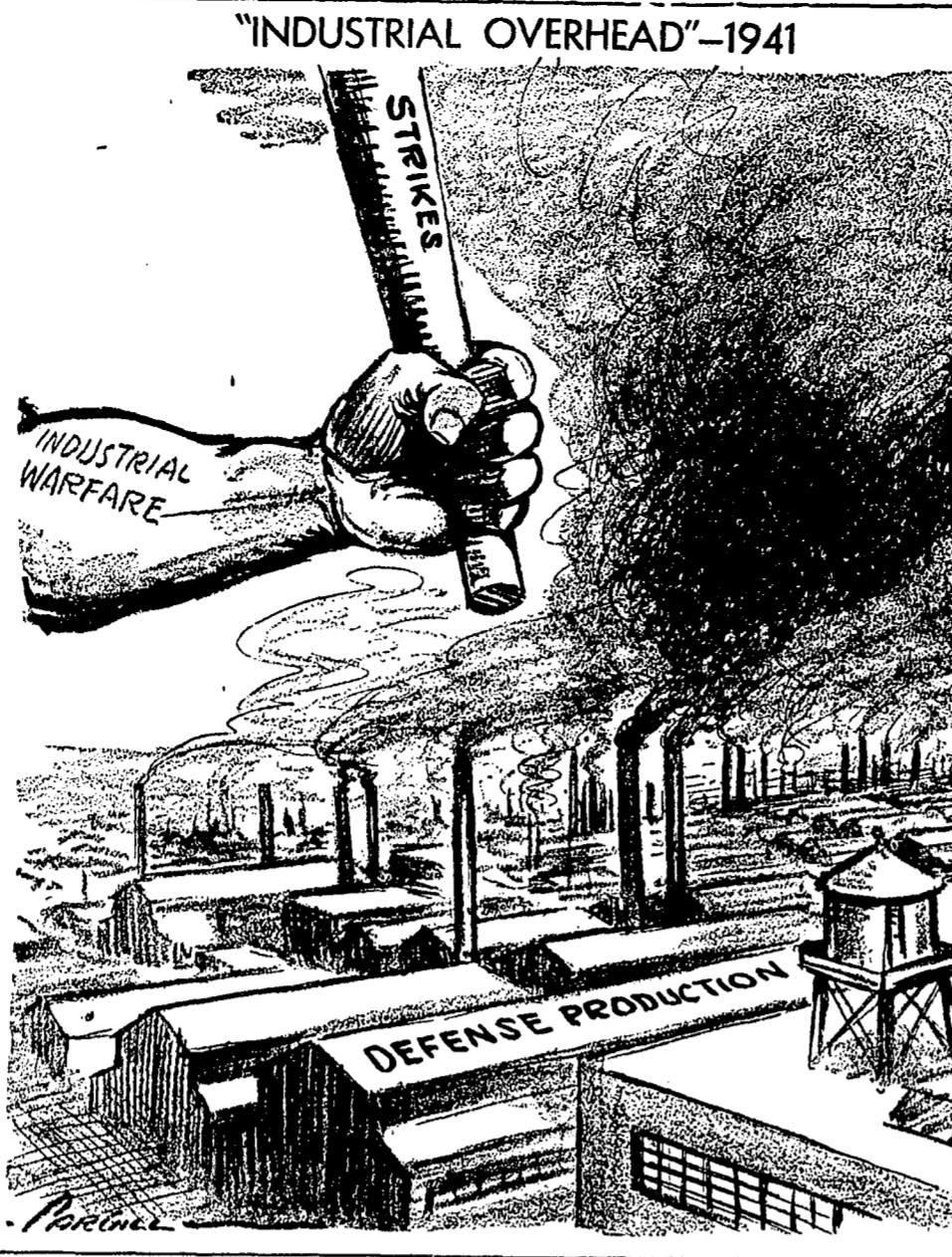
Citizens imbued with the Spirit of '76 are not afraid of Congressional Measure No. 1776.

Kerens Expected To Get Armory Building

A Spanish correspondent has written of the capital of the British Empire:

"London is more than a city. It is an enormous monster capable of suffering the most tremendous blows without batting an eyelid, and capable also of swallowing without indigestion as much fire and brimstone as can rain down from heaven or ascend from hell."

Democracy cannot be destroyed. It may bat an eye as the blows of totalitarian aggression and propaganda fall upon it, but it does not stand, but lives and func-

**FUNERAL SERVICES WEDNESDAY MORNING FOR MRS. MILLIGAN****Important Road Projects Listed For Completion****LOCAL SCHOOL HAS GOOD RECORD WITH TEXAS UNIVERSITY****APPOINTMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED MEMBERS LOCAL GUARD UNIT****CAMP ROWIE, BROWNWOOD, Feb. 5.—(Special)—The following official appointments and ratings have been announced for members of Headquarters Battery, 132nd Field Artillery:****Appointed Master Sergeant: Staff Sergeant Clifton S. Miller.****Appointed Corporals: First Class Privates Clarence L. Burks, George F. Melton and Charles A. Whitlock.****Appointed Privates First Class: Privates William F. Benson, Douglas J. Hill, Dean C. Redden, Duran E. Summerall, Daniel A. Trull and L. C. Yerby.****Rated Specialists Third Class: Privates First Class William B. Blackmon, Stephen Palmer, Daniel A. Trull.****Rated Specialists Fourth Class: Privates First Class Rodney Van Swedon and L. C. Yerby; Private Edward R. Blair.****Rated Specialists Fifth Class: Private First Class Duran E. Summerall.****Named to Border Patrol.****KERENS, Feb. 5.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Inman have this week learned of the appointment of their son, Garland Inman, of Ferris, to a position with the Federal government as a member of the border patrol, on the Rio Grande river. Garland, who has for the past several years edited the Ferris Wheel has leased his paper, and will leave with his wife at once for Alpine, where he will be stationed indefinitely.****Lost Something? Try a Daily Sun Want Ad.****WANTED****Bring us your chickens, fryer, turkeys, eggs, sour cream. We pay market prices at all times.****C. L. McMANUS****210 East Fifth — Phone 1133****We don't mean saving money on the gallon price. Frankly Devoe House Paint is no cheaper than other top-quality paints—but Devoe saves you money in these three ways:****(1) It goes farther than average paints; (2) 2 coats of Devoe paint cost less than 3 coats of average paints and (3) Devoe outlasts average paints 2 to 1. No other paint we know can tell that story! See your dealer.****WhiteSelle Brick & Lumber Company****501 EAST FIFTH Telephone 27****DEVOE PAINT****3 Ways to Cut Painting Costs****GET THE FACTS AND YOU'LL GET A FORD****CALKINS & DUBLIN, INC.****103 North Twelfth Street Phone 262****RICHLAND JUSTICE COURT FILES REPORT FOR YEAR'S ACTIVITY****RECEIPTS OF JUSTICE COURT IN PRECINCT 6, RICHLAND, AMOUNTED TO \$2,029.50 DURING 1940, ACCORDING TO THE ANNUAL REPORT OF C. A. STEELE, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, AS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT CLERK.****Receipts included: Midmisdemeanors, \$1,097; inquests, \$5; birth and death recordings, \$17.50 earned, \$2.50 uncollected and \$15 collected; notary fees, \$10.****Total receipts earned were \$2,029.50 uncollected \$2.50 and collected \$2,029.50.****Expenses of office were listed as \$10 for premium of surety bond; \$4.35, stationery and office supplies; \$43.75, telephone and telegraph; \$9.40, postage. Total expense was \$87.50.****MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE****JESS ATCHLEY AND MILDRED HUGHES OF RICE WERE MARRIED AT THE COURT HOUSE TUESDAY AFTERNOON. JUDGE PAT GERAUGHTY PERFORMED THE CEREMONY.****McPHERSON DRUG COMPANY****216 N. BEATON — CORTICANA****WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF STEEL AND ELASTIC TRUSSES. WE GUARANTEE TO FIT YOU OR YOUR MONEY BACK.****Get in on the BIG DEAL****you can make on the Big New Ford right now!****YOU HAVE TO GET two things to complete a really good "deal" when you get a new car—and your Ford dealer would like to have you try him out on both! First, you want a good allowance for your present car—and all he asks is a chance to make an offer! And next, you want a lot of value in your new car—and that means a Ford this year more clearly than ever before!****This is the biggest Ford and biggest value in all Ford history, its passenger room exceeds anything else in its field. Its soft and quiet new ride is one of the motor year's most talked-about improvements. Its engine is a smooth V-8, which you enjoy at no extra cost for either gas or oil. And its bodies and style are really new this year, all the way through.****If you're trading cars this year and want to be sure you make the most of your trade...the man to see is your Ford dealer. Now is the ideal time.****Built in Texas by Texas Workers****Ford**

AUDREY LOUISE JONES TO REPRESENT TEXAS AT GALVESTON FETE

GALVESTON, Feb. 6.—(Special) Miss Audrey Louise Jones, of Houston and Washington, D. C., granddaughter of Jesse Jones, Federal Loan Administrator, and Mrs. Jones; and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tifford Jones, has just been appointed by Texas' governor W. Lee O. Daniel, to represent this state at the 1941 Mardi Gras to be held in Galveston, Feb. 21 through the 28th, it was announced by Mrs. Brantly Harris, chairman of the senior coronation.

In addition to the Lone Star State, six other states will be represented in this pre-Lenten fete, appointed by their respective governors, and chosen on the basis of beauty and social position. A number of leading Texas cities are sending good will envoys, also.

Furthermore, eight South American countries, as well as the Dominion of Canada, will be officially represented at this forthcoming festival, which has been dedicated to the Pan-American.

With Mardi Gras events dating back here to 1867, as far as is known, this is the first time that any American festival has focused upon a Pan-American theme for a motif.

Founders Day Was Fittingly Observed

By Kerens P.T.A.

KERENS, Feb. 6.—(P.T.A.)—Founders Day was most interestingly celebrated by the Kerens P.T.A. Tuesday with an appropriate program directed by Miss Pauline Decker. Meeting in the high school auditorium preliminaries were presided over by Mrs. Wade Price, president.

Representing youth, for whom the organization had its birth, Patty Simmons, played as a piano solo, "Serenade."

"Along the Santa Fe Trail," was Terry Sanders solo offering, accompanied by Mrs. A. S. Fritchard.

History of the founding of both the National and State P.T.A.'s was recounted by the leader, who was followed by Mrs. Homer Carroll, in a resume of the organization of the Kerens association. To Mrs. Carroll, perhaps more than to any other person credit is due for hav-

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After the flu is over and gone, the cough that follows may develop into chronic bronchitis if neglected. Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germy phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly relieves the cough or you are to have your money back.

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LEGISLATURE

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scholastic census in school districts whose enrollments have been increased by new naval and military establishments and defense industries. Such districts would receive additional scholarships proportionate, limited to an amount necessary to meet the needs of the districts.

Also sent to the house was a senate bill exempting state banks from payment of the note stamp tax, an exemption already granted federal banks.

House Refuses to Adjourn.

The house decided to start a traveling pie to make some money for the society. A pie is received from one person that person receives the pie cooks a pie and puts 25 cent in a box and takes the pie they have cooked and the box containing the money to his neighbor and he in return is to pass it on to the next neighbors.

The following program was presented:

Song: "What A Friend We Have in Jesus."

Prayer: Mrs. John Montgomery.

Scripture Reading: Leola Sutton.

Who Is Our Neighbor?: Leola Sutton.

The Jewish Minority: Mrs. M. M. Pike.

Mexicans in the United States: Fay Champion.

The Negro in Our Democracy: By Mrs. George Gamble.

We had our regular grab-box, as we always have it on the first meeting day in each month. Everyone was very much pleased with the present they received.

We have our meetings on Tuesday evenings of each week instead of Thursday evenings.

There were nine members present, and one visitor.

We will meet with Mrs. Hubert Barks next Tuesday evening, Feb. 11.

The hostess served a delicious dish of sandwiches, potato chips, cakes, and hot chocolate to all present.—Reporter.

Providing for state regulation of aeronautics.

Providing for complete revision and digest of the laws of Texas.

The house killed a bill by Representative Sharpe which would have permitted the hiring of psychologists to work with public school children of lower than average mentality.

Truck Load Limit Fight.

AUSTIN, Feb. 6.—(P)—Smouldering since the last general session two years ago, the bitter truck load limit fight popped back into legislative prominence today.

The senate highways and motor transportation committee, before a crowd that spread over the big senate chamber, heard testimony last night on a bill repealing the present 7,000-pound net load limit and substituting a gross weight regulation which would allow loads up to 36,000 pounds, or a gross weight of 56,000 pounds.

A continuation of the hearing was set for Feb. 12.

Unanimously passed at a meeting of the Navarro County Land Use Planning Committee record the loss of its beloved chairman, loyal worker, and faithful attendant; and that a copy of this resolution be filed in the minutes of this committee, a copy given to the press, and a copy to the family.

To those who in so many ways offered assistance and comfort during the illness and death of our loved one, Zelma Williams, the family offers its sincere thanks.

The Williams Family.

The Penney Family.

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Black Hills Women Of Methodist Church In Session Tuesday

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Black Hills Methodist Church met Tuesday, Feb. 4, in the home of Mrs. George Gamble for the regular social meeting.

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Resolution

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WHEREAS, the untimely passing of this outstanding farmer and pioneer advocate of soil conservation constitutes an irreparable loss to his community and entire country, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Navarro County Land Use Planning Committee record the loss of its beloved chairman, loyal worker, and faithful attendant; and that a copy of this resolution be filed in the minutes of this committee, a copy given to the press, and a copy to the family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grimes left Sunday for Houston, where they will make their home.

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Miss Ann Stokes visited Miss Mary Jo Whorton of Corsicana over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilcox and family of Navarro visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Melton recently.

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Card of Thanks.

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Kerens Girl One Of Leaders Girl Scouts Movement in Austin

KERENS, Feb. 6.—(SpL)—Miss Nancy Hemphill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hemphill, has been named one of twenty-five University of Texas girls who will share in informal conferences on Girl Scouting this week, when Miss C. Mae Crisler of El Paso, National Girl Scout representative, visits Austin. Nancy serves as leader and otherwise lends assistance to one of the 71 Austin Girl Scout troops.

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COMMODITY MARKETS

Quotations From Major Exchanges.

Local Markets

Cotton seed 9.75

Cotton \$30.00

Grains and Provisions

FORT WORTH, Feb. 6.—(UPI)—Demand for grain at Fort Worth today was slow.
Barley, No. 1 hard 8c 4d 00 3c 4d.
Sorghum, No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs. now 11.10-12.2. No. 2 white kafir 10.00.
Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 73-74.
Oats No. 2 red 42-1-2 43-1-2.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—(UPI)—Cotton futures closed steady 3 to 6 points net higher.
High Low Close
March 10.41 10.41 10.42
April 10.42 10.42 10.41
May 10.39 10.34 10.34
June 10.37 10.34 10.34
July 10.37 10.23 10.24
October 0.82 0.80 0.80
December 0.74-0.75
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March (1941) 0.70-0.71
B-Bid.

NEW YORK Cotton Table
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High Low Last
March 10.45 10.45 10.45
May 10.37 10.34 10.34
July 10.27 10.23 10.24
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NEW ORLEANS Spots Higher
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—(UPI)—Spots closed quiet 6 points higher. 10.17
Low middling 9.82, middling 10.17,
good 10.72. Receipts 6.197,
stock \$40,607.

NOMINATIONS(Continued From Page One.)
extra compensation, as minister to the exiled government of Luxembourg, now established in Canada.**Winant Nomination Expected.**

Winant's appointment to the London post has been expected for several weeks. Its announcement was believed to have been delayed because the President wanted to give Harry L. Hopkins, his personal representative, time to wind up his work in London.

Hopkins went abroad as a sort of unofficial envoy to serve until an ambassador was named.

Although a republican, Winant became associated with the new deal several years ago. President Roosevelt chose him to be the first chairman of the social security board, a position which he resigned in 1936 to defend the agency against republican attack.

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CORN, Cream Style, No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
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Sunbrite Cleanser, (Limit) 2 cans 5c
Shortening, Vegetole or Jewel, 4 lbs. 33c
COFFEE, Maxwell House, 1 lb. can 25c
Pork & Beans, Campbell's, 2 tall cans 15c
Greens, Turnip or Mustard, 2 No. 2s 15c
Cherries, Chocolate Covered, lb. box 16c
MEAL, 20 lb. bag 35c
SALT, Regular size, 2 boxes 5c
LEMONS, large size, dozen 15c
BANANAS, large yellow fruit, each .. 1c
Lard, Pure Hog, (Bring Bucket) lb. ... 7c
Small Lean
Pork Chops, Country Killed, lb. 19c
BOLOGNA, Fresh, lb. 10c
CHEESE, Full Cream, lb. 19c
Pure Pork
Sausage, Country Style, 2 lbs. 25c
BACON, Sugar Cured, lb. 19c

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Tractors and implements are hard to get and if you wait too long to buy what you need you will be left wanting.

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Our mule barn will soon be empty—make your purchases now.

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We are also agents again for the MAYTAG washing machine and have a large stock of them and their parts for your service. Call and see me.

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News of County Home Demonstration Clubs**CONGRESS**(Continued From Page One.)
whether Britain could be invaded. "It would be extremely costly."

Senator Thomas (D-Utah) asked Lindbergh to explain how he thought the United States had contributed to the downfall of France.

"If they had not expected us to enter the war, they would not have declared war at the time," Lindbergh said, adding that the German air force was "deplorable condition," its army "but poorly equipped," and its battle fleet "in urgent need of new equipment."

"I oppose placing our security in an English victory," he asserted, "because I believe that such a victory is extremely doubtful."

Connally replied to this point, "I believe it endangers a policy that will lead to failure in war and to conditions in our own country as bad or worse than those we now desire to overthrow in Nazi Germany."

Work on Two Changes.

Democratic strategists in the House were understood to be working on two changes designed to overcome the objections of some twenty or thirty doubtful legislators who believe the measure should contain a positive "no convoy" ban and a definite time limit on commitments the President might make during the two-year life of the bill.

Col. Lindbergh was preceded on the Senate witness stand by Col. Robert E. McCormick, Chicago editor and newspaper publisher.

McCormick, deprecating as "fantastic" any suggestions that the United States faced invasion dangers from either Europe, Africa or Asia. The obstacles in the path of a would-be invader were too great, he testified.

Regardless of assistance, Lindbergh said he did not believe that American and British air forces could fight from the small area of the British Isles on equal terms with a German Luftwaffe that had "unlimited bases" on the continent.

The newspaper publisher said he did not believe the combined British, Italian and German fleets were "bigger than ours."

"We don't know how many ships of those fleets are still floating," he said. "The Italian force is mostly on the high seas."

New Secret Weapon.

"You mean all those the British have been able to catch," Pepper supplied, adding humorously:

"Have you heard that Mussolini promises Hitler all aid 'short of war'?"

"The Italians have a new secret weapon—the German army," McCormick replied in like mood.

McCormick said in response to further questions that he would like to have the Azores right away.

McCormick said he did not believe that Britain, if she were in real danger of invasion, would have sent a large motorized army to Africa.

General Motors Earnings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—(UPI)—General Motors' corporation today reported preliminary net earnings for the common stock in 1940 equal to \$4.32 a common share compared with \$4.04 in 1939.

No. 21045.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the State or any County Constable of Navarro County, Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Lorine Moore, by making publication of this notice in one or more newspapers for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there is one, or in the next County if there is not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Court of Common Pleas of Navarro County, at the Courthouse thereof, in Corsicana, Texas, on the First Monday in April A. D. 1941, at the same hour, and on the day of April A. D. 1941, to answer a petition filed in said Court on the fifth day of September A. D. 1940, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 104, between Robert L. Moore, Plaintiff, and Lorine Moore, Defendant, and said petition alleges that the plaintiff and defendant were married on the 21st day of January A. D. 1940, and together until about the 1st day of August 1940, at or about which last named date the defendant was taken in adultery with William J. Johnson, in Navarro County, Texas; that to the union of the plaintiff and defendant there were not born any children and plaintiff sues for divorce.

Henceforth, Not to bring you before said Court, at its aforementioned next regular term, this writ with your return theron, showing how you have executed the

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Corsicana, Texas, this the 17th day of January A. D. 1941.

R. ARTHUR CALDWELL, Clerk.

District Court, Navarro County, E. B. RODON, Deputy.

(Seal.)

REGISTERED Poland China pigs, medium type; fine breeding, \$750 each. Can furnish unrelated pairs. W. R. Deny.

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YOUR INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

WHO MUST FILE A RETURN? Every individual having a gross income of \$500 or more, a married person, not living with his husband or wife, and having a gross income of \$500 or more, and married persons living with their husbands or wives, who have an aggregate gross income of \$5000 or more, must file! For the calendar year, on or before March 15, 1941. For the first year, or before the third month following the close of the fiscal year.

WHERE AND WITH WHOM MUST YOU FILE YOUR TAX RETURN? In the internal revenue district in which the person lives and has his chief place of business, and with the collector of internal revenue.

HOW DOES ONE MAKE OUT HIS INCOME TAX RETURN? By following the detailed instructions given on Forms 1040-A and 1040, the income tax blanks.

WHAT IS THE TAX RATE?

A normal tax of 4 percent on the amount of the net income arrived at after deducting legal exemptions and tax from the net income in excess of \$4,000; and a defense tax of 10 percent of the combined normal tax and surtax.

INCOME TAX DON'TS

DON'T prepare your income tax return until you carefully read and understand the instructions accompanying the forms. Make out a statement and check it with the instructions before filling in the forms.

DON'T delay in making out your income tax return. Taxpayers should serve careful study and the early assembling of your data expedites this.

DON'T omit any explanation or information that is essential to a statement of your return. An ounce of care may save you a pound of unnecessary expense and time and annoyance both to you and to your Government.

Your Federal Income Tax No. 8 EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED COUPLES MARRIED DURING TAXABLE YEAR.

The credit for dependents as well as the personal exemption is required to be prorated where a change of status occurs during the taxable year, and these credits are allowable only for the purpose of computing the internal revenue tax, but also the surtax. A fractional part of a month is to be disregarded unless it amounts to more than half a month, in which case it is considered a month.

For example, a single man and a single woman who were married on July 20, 1940, and lived together during the remainder of the year would be entitled to a personal exemption of \$1,766.67 in a joint return for the calendar year 1940, which amount is seven-twelfths of \$800 for the husband while single, plus seven-twelfths of \$800 for the wife while single, plus five-twelfths of \$2,000 for the period during which they were married. If separate returns are filed, each is entitled to a personal exemption of \$888.38, which is seven-twelfths of \$800 plus one-half of five-twelfths of \$2,000. If during the year 1940 the husband or the wife had the status of the head of a family prior to their marriage, he or she would be entitled to his or her pro rata share of the personal exemption of \$2,000 allowed the head of family for the period prior to their marriage instead of merely that allowed a single person.

For the period of their marriage any exemption to which either might be entitled by the head of a family would be merged in the joint personal exemption for that period. The joint personal exemption allowable in the case of a couple who were married and living together during the entire year may not exceed \$2,000.

If a child under 18 years of age reaches the age of 18 years during the taxable year, the credit of \$400 is required to be prorated in the same manner as the personal exemption. For example, should the child's eighteenth birthday fall on June 30, the parent would be entitled to claim \$200 credit for the dependent child—that is, one-half of \$400. The same rule applies to other dependents where a change of status occurs during the taxable year.

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WHO IS THE HEAD OF A FAMILY?

For income tax purposes there can be only one head of a family. In addition to being the chief financial support, the head of a family must be related by blood, marriage, or adoption to his dependents, and he must have a legal or moral obligation to exercise family control over them and provide for their care. As such he is entitled to the same exemption allowed a married person—\$2,000.

There are some unusual cases for this classification. A single person, who supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals who are closely con-

nected with him by blood, or by marriage, or by adoption, and whose right to exercise family control and provide for them is based upon a legal or moral obligation, is the head of a family, and as such is entitled to the exemption allowed a married person—\$2,000. In addition he may claim a credit of \$400 for each dependent.

Another example not so much out of the usual is this: A widow who supports in her household his aged mother and his child 17 years of age is the head of a family, and as such is entitled to an exemption of \$2,000 and a credit of \$800 for two dependents.

Not infrequently a case like this is reported: It involves the support of an indigent adult by a single person who is orally and legally obligated to provide a home for this individual. In such a case the exemption as the head of a family may be allowed—the circumstances of each case are considered in making the determination. If the individual so supported is not financially dependent, even though the taxpayer maintains a common home and furnishes the chief support, he latter may not claim the exemption.

A taxpayer who supports in his home his minor children over whom he exercises family control is classified as the head of a family, even though the children may have an income of their own sufficient for the maintenance. If he does not support them, by reason of their own income, but does exercise family control, he cannot be classified as the head of a family.

WHAT IS A "FAMILY"?

"In one household" is a phrase which confronts many taxpayers when they come to make out their income-tax returns. What do the regulations mean when they classify as the head of a family one who actually supports and maintains "in one household" a certain number of dependents?

Income-tax regulations are not straight and narrow in interpreting this phrase. It may mean the taxpayer's personal residence, an apartment, rooms in a boarding house, living quarters in a hotel, or such other place as she or he may occupy as a temporary or permanent residence.

It is not always necessary that a taxpayer and his dependents live under one roof the whole year round in order that he be allowed the exemption given the head of a family. If the common home is maintained, and the parent is away much of the time on business, or a child is away at school or on a visit, that is still "one household," and the exemption is allowed. It may be unavoidable for a man to keep his dependent children with relatives, or he lives elsewhere—but constitutes "one household." But a person who, without necessity, gives the dependent of another home, is not under the income-tax regulations, the head of a family.

Another term that may be in some cases, confusing or perplexing to many taxpayers is "living together," in the case of a husband and wife. Again the income-tax regulations are liberal in interpreting a phrase which, precisely defined, might do an injustice to a taxpayer. When a common home is maintained, and it becomes necessary for the husband to be away on business occasionally and temporarily, the wife is absent on a visit, the \$2,000 exemption still applies. The question not changed, neither is the exemption forfeited, if either husband or wife is unavoidably confined to a sanatorium. If, however, the husband continuously makes his home in one place, and the wife her home in another, they are not "living together" within the meaning of the Internal Revenue Code.

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Carl Sanders, 47, of Corsicana, Cotton Belt Lines employee, died in a Jacksonville hospital early Thursday morning as the result of injuries sustained Monday in a collision involving a motor-driven work car and a log truck. Two employees of the railroad were instantly killed and five were injured in the accident.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Seventh Avenue Methodist Church with burial in Hamilton cemetery. The rites will be conducted by Rev. A. A. Peacock, pastor of the church.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Carolyn Sanders; a son, David Milam Sanders, all of Corsicana; a brother, Lee Sanders, Murchison and a sister, Mrs. Modest Ward, Cayuga.

Pallbearers will be Riley Barnes, R. R. Knight, Lloyd Williams, C. W. Williams, James Haley and Jim Crook.

Corley Funeral Home is in charge.

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(Continued From Page One.) necessarily dependent on numerical superiority. It's the striking power that counts, and such elements as speed and fire-power may equalize the difference in numbers.

On this basis the British while acknowledging Germany's numerical superiority believe they are close to equalizing the race in strength fast. The reason for this seemingly anomalous situation is really very simple, as I have mentioned in a previous column.

The British air fleet is largely up to date with the latest improvements, because Britain started from scratch to build. Also, she is employing a large number of plants rather than mass production, and so is able to make such

Miss Geraldine Norton Of Kerens, February Bride, Is Honored

KERENS, Feb. 5—(Spl.)—Miss Geraldine Norton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Norton, of Kerens, who will become the bride of Frank Allen of Houston, on the evening of February 8th, was honored with a miscellaneous shower of gifts at the home of Mrs. Jon Sheppard Friday from 3 to 5 p.m. Co-hostesses were Mesdames J. A. Paschal, L. E. Gray, Pat Murphy, Robert Tyus, Misses LaVerne Crawford and Virginia Crowley.

Rosebuds, violets, hyacinths and

forsythia used lavishly throughout the house, and the colorful afternoon gowns worn by hostesses and members of the house party, the bride to be and her mother and sister, created a charming and beautiful picture for guests who called and were greeted by Mrs. L. E. Gray and Miss Crawford at the door.

Passing to the receiving line composed of Mrs. Sheppard, the honoree, and mother Mrs. E. H. Norton; sister Mrs. W. L. Bain, Jr., and aunt Mrs. Jim Norton, the path to the dining room was marked by every courtesy known to the thoughtful hostess.

The dining table covered with Italian lace, was set with formal arrangement of roses, stock, carnations, tulips, and other blending pastel flowers, in a crystal bowl, which rested on a circular mirror plaque; the rich silver tea service which occupied a prominent place at one end, and was presided over by Miss Virginia Crowley. Mrs. A. J. Paschal, Mrs. L. E. Gray and Mrs. Pat Murphy, holding white tapers, which lent additional enrichment to the lovely scene.

Open face pineapple sandwiches

toasted nuts and mints were also

on the table, to which all served themselves.

After autographing the bride's guest book, in charge of Mrs. Maureen Walker and Miss Alene Ivey, callers were ushered to three bedrooms where a most imposing array of gifts testified to the popularity of the lovely Miss Norton.

Musicians, who presented a varied program of piano, violin and vocal selections, included Mrs. F. E. McCown, Miss Cecil Ross, Mrs. Whit Scarborough, Mrs. R. H. Mayes, Mrs. Lucy Garret, Mrs. Harrel Roberts, Miss Betty Joe Paschal, Miss Berlie Mae Stevens, Mrs. A. S. Pritchard.

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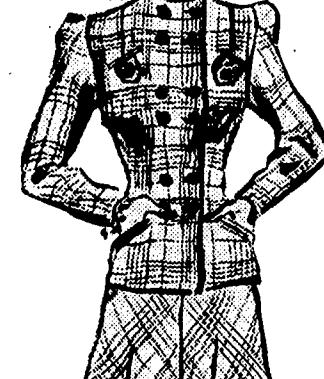
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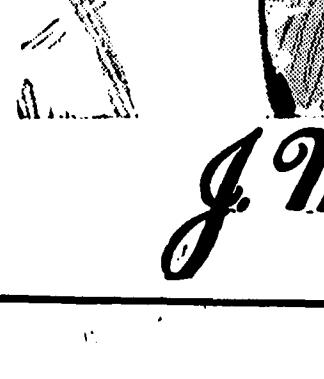
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